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Miscellaneous.

A More Excellent Way.

"Mother, mother," exclaimed Charley Morris, as he rushed into the house after school in great excitement, "what do you think we are going to do in school?"

"Study I hope," said his mother quietly, while the little boy stopped to take breath.

"We shall have to, that's a fact," said Charley, "but that was not what I wanted to tell you, mother. You know there are just six weeks before examination, and they are going to give certificates then only to the very best scholars, who have sustained themselves perfectly through the term."

"And you mean, of course, to rank among the very best if you can," said Mrs. Morris.

"Of course I do, mother, but here is one thing more. The boy who has been at the head of his class the longest time is to have, beside his diploma, a golden star to wear upon his breast. He will be called the star scholar, and will rank highest in the school."

"So you are aiming at the bright particular star?"

"Yes, mother, and I will have it too, you will see! Dr. H. says that it is a more honorable distinction than the Legion of Honor. Won't you be proud, mother, to see me wearing it at the evening exhibition. The teachers will come and tell you that your boy is the best scholar in the school." Mrs. Morris smiled, "won't you be glad, mother?" repeated Charley, eagerly.

"Glad I shall certainly be of the scholarship that won the honor, if it is fairly earned," replied the mother. "But what are your grounds of expectation?"

"Why, mother, I am at the head of all my classes but one, and in that there is no one ahead of me but Harry Colton. I don't suppose there would be any hope of going beyond him if he was always there, but he is sometimes absent at the hour we re-eate, and so we won't have as good a chance of keeping his place in the class."

What is the cause of his absence?"

"He does errands for his mother. She takes in sewing; and they are too poor to have any servant, so Harry carries the bundles home."

"Mrs. Colton has made a great effort to keep her boy at school. He is a good scholar, is he not?"

"Yes, mother: I don't know a boy that studies harder than Henry Colton."

"Not even Charley Morris?"

"No, mother, but then I am not obliged to study so much because I have been to school more regularly than he has, and then I have more to myself at home. Why, Henry is up and studying before anybody else is stirring in the morning, and always sleeps with his book under his head at night."

"Then if he fails to obtain the highest rank in the school, it will not be for want of diligence or even scholarship, but from the mere accident of his outward circumstances. But he doubtless will make a great effort to be punctual of attendance, propriety of deportment, and success in scholarship."

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"The faculty, Morris, prefer that you should retain the star as you have literally fulfilled the conditions prescribed."

"It would not be right, sir," said Charley, firmly, though with a trembling voice. "I beg you will give it to Henry."

"In that case, you must bestow it," said the President. "Henry Colton will come forward."

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"Is my boy quite conscious of the spirit he is indulging?" asked the mother gently. "Does he really now wish to gain this prize for himself at the expense of one who deserves it perhaps even more."

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"You will not doubt your mother's interest in your improvement, even if she should be less solicitous about this particular honor," Mrs. Morris replied. "You know that all the ambition I have in the world, centers in my children. I would see them active, energetic, foremost, if possible, in the pursuit of every honorable attainment. And yet there is a more excellent way which I would have them follow, an attainment higher even than mental wealth—without which though possessed of all knowledge they are nothing."

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"It is not necessary for us to settle the bearing of this on the question of prizes in school. But one question comes nearer to the case in hand. Do you think that in strict honesty the star would be your own, if you gained it, not by superior scholarship, but your more prosperous circumstances, and Henry's hindrance through his mother's necessities? The only value of the sign is in the thing signified. To me this badge would mean, not that my boy is a better scholar than Henry, but only that his father was richer than Henry's mother."

"Mother, I don't want the star at all," said Charley with a resolute effort, "that is, if Henry can get it. I am going around now, if you are willing, to show him about the arithmetic, and to ask his mother to arrange if possible, so that he can attend school constantly, the next six weeks."

Mrs. Colton's consent to the latter arrangement was easily obtained especially when Charley had begged permission to assist in doing the errands after school hours. The obstacles in arithmetic were cleared away so that the two rivals started on their friendly race with fair field and no favor to either. Henry had been at the head of the class just the same length of time that Charley had been, before him, when, three weeks before examination, he was taken sick. It would be difficult to say which of the two classes was most disappointed at this derangement of the plans. Charley watched the progress of the fever almost as anxiously as Mrs. Colton, and daily beset the doctor, to learn the prospect of a speedy recovery.

The third week had arrived before Henry was able to be dressed, and breathe the outer air for a few minutes of the day. Examination day came, and by Charley's earnest entreaties the invalid was permitted to be present on the important occasion. He sat next his friend and leaned upon him when too weary with the effort and excitement. After many less interesting exercises, the President at last arose, and with some words of explanation, proceeded to confer, as he said, the highest mark of honor ever received in the institution. The star was awarded to Charles Morris, for punctuality of attendance, propriety of deportment, and success in scholarship.

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The Maiden Warrior.
A Tale of the Revolution.

No struggle in the history of the world has produced nobler instances of heroism, than that of our own glorious Revolution. The achievements which light up the expanse of that deadly conflict, like the stars in the firmament, put to shame the nucleo-dramatic heroes of Greece; indeed it is not too much to say, that every mountain pass has been a Thermopylae, and every battle plain a Marathon.

Occasionally these deeds of war have been lightened by that sweetest of all passions, Love; and it is a tale of love and patriotism we have now to tell.

Sergeant Jasper belonged to that most famous of all heroic bands, Marion's Brigade, where his valor and talents soon won him distinction. Among other daring deeds, his rescuing our flag at the battle of Fort Moultrie deserves to be mentioned. In the hottest fire of the conflict, the flag of the Fort was shot away, and fell without the ramparts. Leaping over the ramparts he seized the flag, and returned amidst the fire of even the British. For this daring deed General Rutledge presented him with a sword.

Like many other families at that time, his was divided on the great question. His older brother took the side of the English, and served in their army. Out of affection to his brother, and a wish to examine into the strength of the enemy, he resolved with another patriot soldier, Sergeant Newton, to pay the British camp a visit. His brother's position in it, enabled him to receive his two friends without any suspicion of their being spies, and they were entertained for two or three days with great hospitality.

While they were thus engaged, a small party of Americans were brought in prisoners; and as they had deserted from the British, and enlisted in the American ranks, their doom would have been death. This, the brother of Jasper assured him, was to be their fate. With them was the wife and child of one of the prisoners. Her distress at her husband's approaching fate, touched the human heart of Jasper. Confiding his purpose to his friend, Sergeant Newton, they bade adieu to Jasper's brother, and took their leave. They had no sooner got out of sight of the camp, than they made a *détour*, and stretched across the country, so as to elude all suspicion should they meet with any British soldiers.

It was the custom of the English then to send all the prisoners taken in that quarter to Savannah for trial. At a little spring about two miles from Savannah, Jasper and Newton secreted themselves, awaiting the arrival of the British escort with their prisoners. It had occurred to Jasper, that, as they must pass this spot, it was very probable they might stop here for a short time to rest themselves—and the woody nature of the spot would favor a rescue.

After some hours anxious suspense they saw the escort with their prisoners approaching. The guard was ten in number, and armed. The corporal with four men conducted their captives to the water, and told them to rest themselves for an hour; at the same time giving them some provisions. The Sergeant then told the men to ground arms, and sent themselves.

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So says the Cincinnati *Enquirer*. We are sorry to say that our own observation confirms the statement, that the Democracy are (almost) everywhere asserting the doctrine of Territorial popular sovereignty, which means squatter sovereignty.—*Rich. Whig.*

physique. None ever suspected him to be a woman. Not even Jasper himself, although he was often by her side, penetrating her disguise.

The romance of her situation increased the fervor of her passion. It was her delight to reflect that, unknown to him, she was by his side watching over him in the hour of danger. She fed her passion by gazing upon him in the hour of slumber, hovering near him when stealing through the swamp and thicket; and being always ready to avert danger from his head.

But gradually there stole a melancholy presentiment over the poor girl's mind. She had been tortured with hopes deferred; the war was prolonged, and the prospect of being restored to him grew more and more uncertain. But now she felt that her dream of happiness could never be realized. She became convinced that death was about to snatch her away from his side; but she prayed that she might die, and never know to what length the violence of her passion had led her.

It was eve before the battle. The camp had sunk into repose. The watch-fires were burning low, and only the slow tread of sentinels fell upon the profound silence of the night air, as they moved through the dark shadows of the forest. Stretched upon a blanket, reposed the warlike form of Jasper. Climbing vines trailed themselves into a canopy above his head, through which the stars shone down softly. The faint flicker from the expiring embers of a fire fell athwart his countenance, and tinged the cheek of one who bent upon his couch. It was the smooth-faced stripling. She bent low down, as if to listen to his dreams, or to breathe into his soul pleasant visions of love and happiness. But tears traced themselves down the fair one's cheek, and fall silently but rapidly upon the brow of her lover. A mysterious voice has told her that the hour of parting has come; that tomorrow her destiny is consummated. There is one last long lingering look, and then the unhappy maid is seen to tear herself away from the spot, to weep out her sorrows in privacy.

Fierce and terrible is the conflict that on the morrow rages on that spot. Foremost in the battle is the intrepid Jasper, and ever by his side fights the stripling warrior. Often during the fight he is struck by the lance of Sallie St. Clair. There is a wild cry, and at the feet of Jasper sinks the maiden, with life-blood gushing from the white bosom, which has been thrown, as a shield, before his breast. He needs not now the din nor the danger of the conflict; but down by the side of the dying boy he kneels. Then, for the first time, does he learn that the stripling is his love; that the dim visions in his slumber, of an angel face hovering over him, had been true. In the midst of the battle, with her lover by her side, and the harp still in her bosom, the heroine maiden dies!

Her name, her sex, and her noble devotion soon became known through the corps. There was a tearful group gathered around the grave; there was not one of those hardy warriors who did not bedew her grave with tears. They buried her near the river Santeet, in a green shady nook that looked as if it had been stolen out of Paradise.

A Remarkable and Affecting Incident. The Belfast (Me.) Argus notes an affecting case of filial devotion. Mr. Nash, the keeper of Grand Point Light, captured his skiff, on the 4th inst., and was thrown out. His wife, and little son Elisha aged two years, hastened to his relief from their dwelling, a few yards from the shore. Mrs. N. finding it impossible to render him aid, took her child to remain on the shore while she hastened to call some of the neighbors. During her brief absence, Mr. Nash, by struggling hard to maintain his position, had well nigh exhausted himself, and while clinging to the side of the skiff it again turned over, and he thereby lost his hold. Bidding his child farewell, he sank beneath the waves, with the belief that he should never rise alive. But to his joy, as he sank he caught hold of the rope with which the boat was moored, and by this means drew himself up and got on board. Upon looking for his child he found he had disappeared. The little fellow, thinking to render his father the essential aid, betook himself to the water, as he saw him sink, and waded out as far as he could and then reached forth his hands towards his father. The strong tide bore the little fellow beyond his depth,

Snow in September.

There was a very severe snow storm in the White Mountain district in New Hampshire last Wednesday, and the snow is a foot deep in some places about the ledge, on the path from the Glen. The old residents say that never since 1816 and '17 has there been weather of equal severity at so early a period in the season.

What is society, after all, but a mixture of mister-ies and miss-eries?

Death to All Vermin!

It is truly wonderful what certainty Rats, Roaches, Mice, Moles, Groundhogs, Ants, Moths, Mosquitoes, Fleas, Insects on animals, in short every species of Vermin can be utterly destroyed by

"Cector's" Rat, Roach, &c., Exterminator,

"Cector's" Bed-Bug E-terminator,

"Cector's" Electric Powder for Insects, &c.

[only infallible remedies known.]

J. C. COOPER, (Ex- "Herald") L. Cooper, W. J. Whigham
recommends the above. Many grain and provisions are destroyed annually in Great County by vermin, which would pay for tons of this Kill-and-Eat Exterminator.

"Cector's" Bed-Bug E-terminator, "Cector's" Electric Powder for Insects, &c.

44-45

AMERICAN WATCHES.

W. R. WILSON

HAS JUST OPENED A NEW LOT OF Gold and Silver Double cased, AMERICAN, Patent Lever Watches, which he invites all admirers of good, handsome, and reliable time keepers to call quickly and examine.

These superior Watches are manufactured, and guaranteed by him to be made of the best materials, and on the most approved principle, possessing every requisite for time keeping, and for any defect, material, workmanship, or performance, he, at all times, holds himself responsible.

CERTIFICATES are given with each watch sold. He has, also, a large assortment of GOLD and SILVER CASED ENGLISH PATENT AND DETACHED LEVER WATCHES.

GOLD DUBBLE cased lever, 13 Jewels, from \$30, and \$35 to \$40, each warranted; also Silver Double cased, from \$10 to \$40 each.

Don't forget to call at the store, opposite the "Simonton House," Statesville, N. C.

October 7, '59. W. R. WILSON.

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EQUITY SALE of Valuable Improved LANDS.

By direction of the Court of Equity I will sell, at the Court-House, in Statesville, on Monday, the 21st November next (it being Monday of the County-Court) at 1 o'clock, the plantation belonging to the Heirs of the late Dr. James M. Moore. It contains upwards of

560 ACRES and is one of the Best Farms in this part of North-Carolina. It lies on Taird Creek, two miles west of Statesville—and

100 Acres of the Cleared Bottom, in cultivation—can be seen from the Railroad Bridge at Third Creek.

The Upland, as well as the large body of Creek Bottom, is rich and can produce TOBACCO, CORN, AND WHEAT, as abundantly as any lands in the State.

Tobacco has been very successfully cultivated on this land.

TERMS—1, 2 & 3 years, with interest from date.

W. P. CALDWELL, C. M. E.

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NOTICE To Physicians, Families, Farmers, and Mechanics.

W. H. WYATT, DRUGGIST & APOTHECARY, Main St., SALISBURY, N. C.

DURING THIRTEEN YEARS EXPERIENCE MY ATTENTION HAS BEEN DIRECTED TO THE WORTHLESSNESS OF A LARGE PORTION OF THE MEDICINES OFFERED FOR SALE. I HAVE RECEIVED TO SUPPLY PHYSICIANS AND FAMILIES WITH PURE AND RELIABLE REMEDIES.

I HAVE BEEN LED,

FIRST, TO REJECT ALL PREPARATIONS WHOSE COMPOSITION IS NOT KNOWN—the whole tribe of nostrums.

SECOND, TO CULTIVATE BUSINESS RELATIONS DIRECTLY WITH PHYSICIANS, WHO HAVE A FAR DEEPER INTEREST IN MY UNDERTAKING THAN THE MERE DEALERS IN BOOTS, DRUGS, GROCERIES, &c.

THIRD, TO SPARE NO PAINS IN ACQUIRING A FURTHER KNOWLEDGE OF THE DRUG TRADE IN ALL ITS DEPARTMENTS; TO DEAL ONLY WITH HONORABLE AND COMPETENT MERCHANTS AND CHEMICAL MANUFACTURERS; TO BUY FIRST HANDS, EFFECTING THEREBY A SAVING IN COST AND LESS LIABILITY TO ADULTERATION.

FOURTH, TO ESTABLISH AND GRADUALLY PERFECT A LABORATORY OF MY OWN, SO THAT OF THE CHARACTER AND QUALITY OF ALL ITS PRODUCTS, I MAY BE PERFECTLY ASSURED.

FIFTH, TO KEEP MYSELF INFORMED IN RESPECT TO THE PROGRESS MADE IN PRACTICAL PHARMACY AND CHEMISTRY, AND BE ABLE TO INTRODUCE TO PUBLIC ATTENTION, AND FURNISH, ALL NEW AND IMPORTANT REMEDIES, AS SOON AS NOTICED.

SIXTH, TO INCREASE BUSINESS HAS RENDERED NECESSARY A CHANGE TO A LARGER AND MORE VARIED STOCK, A CLOSER PERSONAL ATTENTION, AND A FURTHER REDUCTION IN PRICE.

W. H. WYATT.

Main St. SALISBURY, N. C., Sept. 20. 43-44

WANTED.

500 lbs. Seneca Root, Dry.

500 lbs. Ginseng Root, Dry.

THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE WILL BE PAID FOR THEM BY W. H. WYATT, Wholesale and Retail Druggist, SALISBURY, N. C.

Sept. 30. 43-44

New Fall & Winter GOODS.

JAMISON, SIMONTON & CO.

A RE NOW RECEIVING THEIR LARGE AND SPLENDID STOCK OF FALL & WINTER GOODS, CONSISTING OF

the latest styles;

Bonnets, Flats, Hats, Caps, etc.

HARD-WARE, Drugs, Crockery,

GROCERIES

AND A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF OTHER ARTICLES.

ALL OF WHICH WERE BOUGHT IN NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA FOR CASH, AND WILL BE SOLD LOW.

WE CALL AND GIVE US A TRIAL.

WE DON'T MAKE A GREAT NOISE OVER OUR GOODS TO *hounds* THE PEOPLE BUT, WILL ALLOW THEM TO BE THEIR OWN JUDGE.

WE WILL TAKE ALL KINDS OF COUNTRY PRODUCE IN EXCHANGE FOR GOODS.

STEVESVILLE, SEP. 23, 1859. 42-43

Dry Goods, Dress Goods

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

WHERE LARGE SALES CONTINUE FROM DAY TO DAY AT A GREAT-SACRIFICE TO THE MANUFACTURER.

A GOOD DOUBLE-SOLED NAILED BROGAN FOR \$1.25

THE VERY BEST BROGANS AT 1.50

SINGLES 1.00

A GREAT SAVING

IN CHILDREN'S BOYS AND MISTRESS SHOES, IS EFFECTED BY THE INTRODUCTION OF COPPER POINTS FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE TOE, AND THE MANUFACTURER WARRANTS THAT ONE PAIR WILL LAST AS LONG AS THREE PAIRS OF THE OLD STYLE. TO BE HAD ONLY AT BOONE'S.

LADIES WILL FIND IT TO THEIR INTEREST TO CALL AND EXAMINE MY STOCK AS IT IS FAR SUPERIOR TO ANY OTHER OFFERED IN THE STATE.

GENTS WILL FIND IT TO THEIR COMFORT TO CALL ON BOONE'S AND FIT THEMSELVES WITH A BOOT OR SHOE ON REASONABLE TERMS.

BOONE'S HAS GOOD SHOES. BOONE'S HAS GOOD BOOTS.

BOONE'S HAS GOOD BROGANS.

BOONE'S HAS CHILDREN'S SHOES WITH METALLIC TIPS.

BOONE'S HAS BOYS AND YOUTH'S SHOES, WITH METALLIC TIPS.

BOONE'S HAS GENTS' FINE DOUBLE-SOLED WATER-PROOF BOOTS, CHEAP.

BOONE'S HAS LADIES' FINE HIGH-HEELED CONGRESS GAITERS, AND A GREAT MANY VARIETIES TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION.

CALL AND EXAMINE FOR YOURSELF.

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SPRAGUE BRO'S Wholesale and Retail GROCERS.

SALISBURY, N. C.

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SHERIFF'S DEEDS.

FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

TO THE LADIES. FASHIONABLE Dress Making.

Mrs. J. A. VANNOY, having received

the latest Paris and New York

FASHIONS,

respectfully invites the attention of ladies

having Dresses to make to give her a call, if

they wish them made in the latest and most

fashionable style.

Mr. V. BENTON goods fit, and all work

done by her, she cuts by Taylor's celebrated

style. She is prepared to execute work at

the shortest notice, and she has procured com-

PETENT assistance. She has no stock to call and so, believing that we can make it to their in-

terest to deal with us; and

TO OUR OLD FRIENDS & CUSTOMERS

WE SHALL OFFER INCREASED ADVANTAGE.

HOPKINS, HULL & ATKINSON,

BALTIMORE,
ASK THE ATTENTION OF BUYERS

TO THEIR LARGE AND ELEGANT STOCK OF

FALL DRY GOODS,

WHICH HAS BEEN PURCHASED MOST CAREFULLY AND

ON THE BEST TERMS.

TO PROMPT DEALERS WE

SHALL SELL OUR GOODS LOW.

WE BUY THOSE WHO HAVE NEVER EXAMINED

OUR STOCK TO CALL AND DO

OUR BUSINESS.

MR. V. BENTON

WILL CALL AT THE STORE, OPPOSITE THE

"SIMONTON HOUSE," STATESVILLE, N. C.

SEPTEMBER 30, 1859. 43-44

TO THE TIME

TO SAVE YOUR MONEY, JENKINS &

AYER TAKE THIS METHOD OF INFORMING

THESE INDIVIDUALS TO THEM BY EITHER ACCOUNT OR

NOTE, CONTRACTED PRIOR TO THE 1ST OF JULY LAST,

THAT ALL CLAIMS NOT PAID BETWEEN THIS

DATE AND OCTOBER COURT, WILL BE IMMEDIATELY

PLACED IN THE HANDS OF AN OFFICER WITH INSTRUCTIONS

TO COLLECT AS SPEEDILY AS POSSIBLE.

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Poetry.

A Beautiful Poem.

The following sublime ode to the Supreme Being is translated from the Russian. It was written by one of their most distinguished poets, Derhaven. The ode is said to have been translated into the Chinese and Tartar languages, written on a rich silk, and suspended in the imperial palace at Pekin. The Emperor of Japan had it transferred into the Japanese, embroidered with gold, and hung up in the temple of Jeddah. We believe that no man, however powerful his intellect, or sublime his imagination, can unacquainted with Holy Writ, ever did or will compose an excellent poem. It abounds in Scriptural allusions. The finest parts of the ode were written when the soul of the author perhaps unconsciously was wrapped in contemplation of passages in the Bible.

"The most exquisite verse in the poem is that where the poet, fleeing from the nothingness of humanity, takes shelter in the gloriously consoling idea that the Divine Spirit shines in his spirit. 'As shines the sunbeam in a drop of dew.' Immediately afterward follow the words, 'In Thee I live and breathe, and dwell.' It is manifest that the whole of this sublimely beautiful passage is borrowed from Acts, chapter xvii, verse 28: 'In Him we live, and move, and have our being.'

GOOD.

One them little ones whose presence bright
All space doth occupy—all time—bright
I find me here, and here I stay, and here I light
Then only God! there is no God beside!

Being above all beings, mighty one!

When none can comprehend, nor man explore;

With love, and awe, and reverence, I bow,
Embracing all—supporting—ruled over;
Being whom we call—adore—know no more!

In its sublimest truth, philosophy!

My spirit, too, is thine, and I may count
The sands, or the sun's rays—Lord! for These!
There is no might, no measure, none can mount
The sky; and the earth, the world, the light!

The kindred of Thy light, in vain would try
To trace thy counsels, infinite and dark;
And thought the lost are found, so high,
Love, and life, and death, are thine alone!

From such primeval nothingness, didst call
First chaos, then existence—Earth, on Earth
Eternity had its foundation;—and the sun,
With all the stars, and the planets, shone from Thee;

As the sunbeams in the sunny rays
Shine round the silver snow, the pageant
Of Heaven's grandeur, and the grandeur of praise.

All things are linked by Thee, land

Wander unswayed through the blue abyss;

They own Thee, power, accomplish'd Thy command,

All gay with life, all chearful with bliss;

What art thou, O God?—the last and final light?

A glorious company of golden spheres?

Lamps of celestial ether burning bright;

Sunlight, and moonlight, and joyous beams?

But Thee, the art of美 as the moon to night.

As this magnificence in Thee is lost;

What ten thousand worlds—endured with Thee,

And when I leave Thee, am I unnumbered host,

The multiplied by myriads, and array'd

In all the glory of sublimest thought?

I hold Thee, O my God!—the unnumbered host!

Against infinity? What am I then? Nought.

Nought!—but the effluvia of thy light divine,

Pervading worlds have reached me, lesson, too;

I am, O Lord!—Thee, Thee, Thee, let me!

Thee, O my God!—guiding all Thee!

Direct my understanding, lead to Thee;

Control my sp'rt, guide my wandering heart.

The but an infant indeed.

With Thee, O my God!—my hand!

I hold a middle rank, twixt heaven and earth,

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